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For: Method, Apparatus, and program to Efficiently Serialize Objects

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20 / pages of specification, including 24 claims, plus 3 sheets of formal drawings.

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